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Latah County Economic Overview

Civilian Labor Force (Oct 2022) 20.934 **Unemployment Rate (Oct 2022)** 2.7% 40,313 Population (2021) \$51,312 Median Household Income (2020) \$43.944 Per Capita Personal Income (2020) Poverty Rate (2020) 18.1%

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1. Latah County Demographic Characteristics, 2020 5-Year ACS

	Latah County	Latah County (%)	State of Idaho (%)	United States (%)
Total Population	40,052	100.0%	1,754,367	326,569,308
Race and Ethnicity				
White alone, not hispanic	35,093	87.6%	81.4%	60.1%
Black or African American alone, not hispanic	482	1.2%	0.6%	12.2%
Native American alone, not hispanic	410	1.0%	1.1%	0.6%
Asian alone, not hispanic	849	2.1%	1.3%	5.6%
Hispanic, or Latino (of any race)	1,777	4.4%	12.7%	18.2%
Gender				
Male	20,462	51.1%	50.1%	49.2%
Female	19,590	48.9%	49.9%	50.8%
Age				
Median age	29.5	-	36.6	38.2
Under 18 years	7,386	18.4%	25.3%	22.4%
Over 18 years	32,666	81.6%	74.7%	77.6%
21 years and over	28,498	71.2%	70.6%	73.5%
Over 65 years	5,547	13.8%	15.8%	16.0%
Educational Attainment (Population 25 years and Over)				
Less than 9th grade	208	0.5%	2.0%	3.3%
High school graduate (with equivalencies)	4,646	11.6%	17.4%	18.2%
Some college, no degree	5,519	13.8%	17.0%	13.9%
Associate's degree	1,797	4.5%	6.4%	5.9%
Bachelor's degree	5,901	14.7%	12.6%	13.8%
Graduate or professional degree	4,312	10.8%	6.1%	8.7%
Median Household Income	\$51,312	-	\$58,915	\$64,994

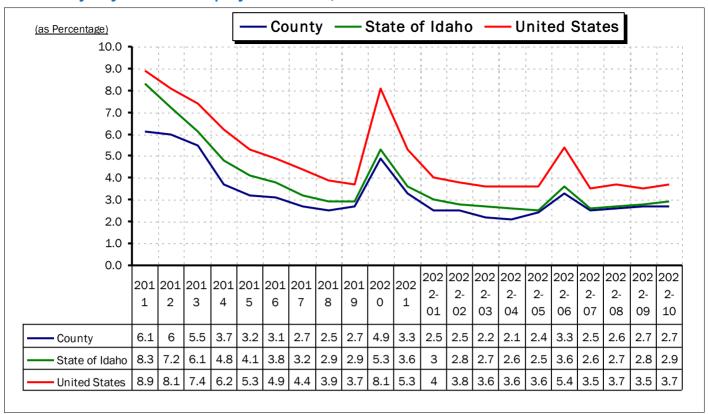
Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

2. Labor Force Growth, October 2021 to October 2022

	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
October 2022	20,934	20,376	558	2.7%
October 2021	20,061	19,472	589	2.9%
YoY % Change	4.4%	4.6%	-5.3%	-0.2%

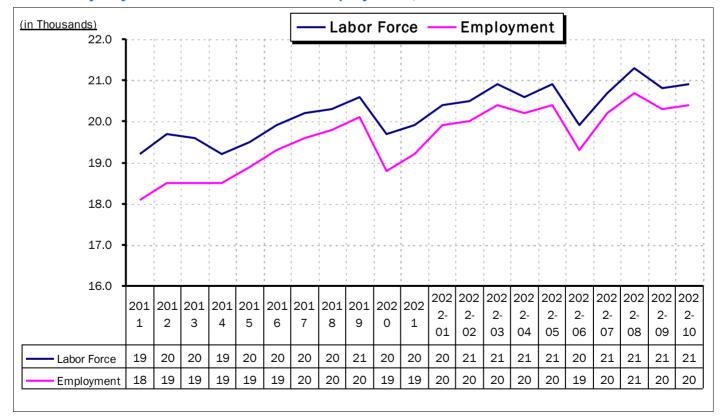
Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

3. Seasonally-Adjusted Unemployment Rate, 2011 to October 2022



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4. Seasonally-Adjusted Labor Force and Employment, 2011 to October 2022



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5. Industry Employment and Wages, 2011, 2020, and 2021

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Supersector	Average Employment	Average Wages	Average Employment	Average Wages	Average Employment	Average Wages
Total Covered Wages	12,996	\$31,321	13,130	\$40,918	13,492	\$43,414
Natural Resources and Mining	322	\$42,348	334	\$52,747	324	\$56,970
Construction	393	\$31,020	561	\$40,506	612	\$43,481
Manufacturing	393	\$44,560	344	\$49,286	372	\$51,236
Trade,Transportation, and Utilities	2,092	\$25,217	2,165	\$34,791	2,304	\$32,873
Information	182	\$28,721	163	\$43,441	165	\$51,988
Financial Activities	415	\$29,014	359	\$40,125	353	\$42,314
Professional and Business Services	720	\$38,713	933	\$50,642	1,000	\$69,271
Education and Health Services	5,889	\$36,521	5,755	\$46,938	5,781	\$48,559
Leisure and Hospitality	1,665	\$11,195	1,618	\$15,825	1,699	\$18,300
Other Services	289	\$24,873	269	\$32,235	269	\$35,207
Public Administration	629	\$39,615	620	\$50,809	605	\$52,570

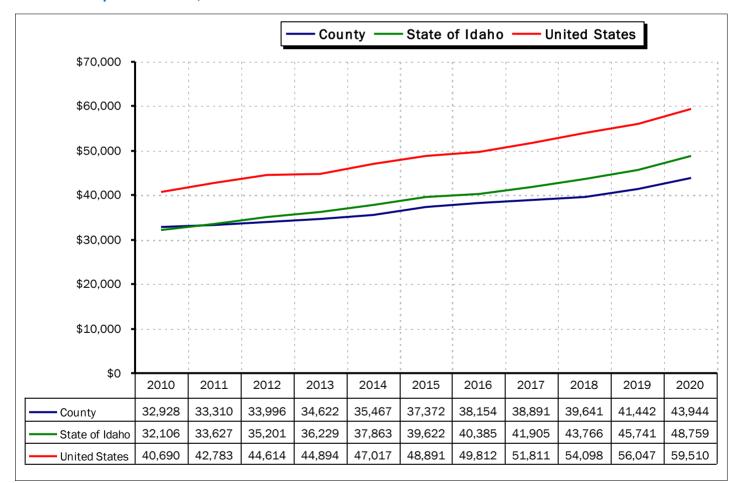
Source: Idaho Department of Labor-Quarterly Census of Employment Wages (QCEW)

6. Top Employers, 2021

Employer	Ownership	Employment Range
University Of Idaho	State Government	2,500 - 4,999
Gritman Medical Center	Private	500 - 999
Moscow School District	Local Government	250 - 499
Wal-mart	Private	250 - 499
Economic Modeling Specialists	Private	100 - 249
City Of Moscow	Local Government	100 - 249
Bennett Lumber Products	Private	100 - 249
Latah County	Local Government	100 - 249
Northwest River Supplies	Private	100 - 249
Evangelical Lutheran Church	Private	100 - 249

NOTE: Only employers that have given the Department permission to release employment range data are listed. Source: Idaho Department of Labor- Quarterly Census of Employment Wages (QCEW)

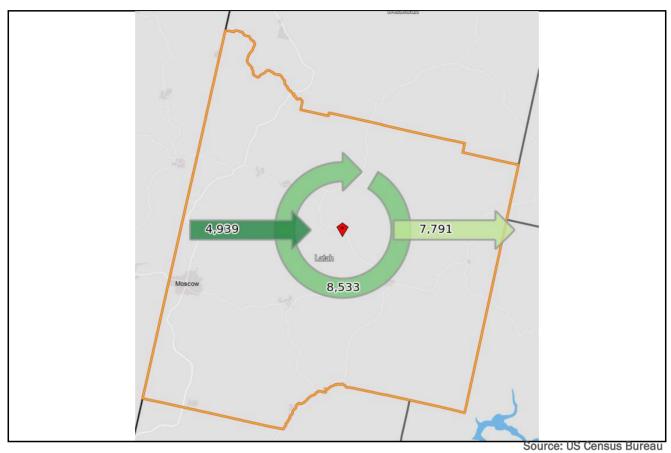
7. Real Per Capita Income, 2010 to 2020



Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

8. Labor Force Commuting Patterns, 2019

It is estimated that 8,533 workers lived and worked in Latah County in 2019. Another 4,939 workers were employed in Latah County but lived outside, while 7,791 workers commuted to other counties for work.



9. Top 10 Cities Where People Who Work in Latah County Live, 2019

City of Residence	Count of All Jobs	Percentage of Total Jobs
Moscow	5,704	42.3%
Lewiston	647	4.8%
Pullman , WA	588	4.4%
Coeur d'Alene	231	1.7%
Boise City	224	1.7%
Potlatch	190	1.4%
Troy	182	1.4%
Genesee	179	1.3%
Post Falls	117	0.9%
Deary	112	0.8%

Note: "All Jobs" includes private and public sector jobs. It also includes a count of workers with multiple jobs. Source: US Census Bureau- Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics (LEHD)

10. Top 10 Cities Where People Who Live in Latah County Work, 2019

City of Employment	Count of All Jobs	Percentage of Total Jobs
Moscow	6,986	42.8%
Pullman , WA	3,116	19.1%
Lewiston	908	5.6%
Boise City	365	2.2%
Coeur d'Alene	290	1.8%
Troy	202	1.2%
Deary	180	1.1%
Potlatch	180	1.1%
Spokane , WA	156	1.0%
Spokane Valley , WA	119	0.7%

Note: "All Jobs" includes private and public sector jobs. It also includes a count of workers with multiple jobs. Source: US Census Bureau- Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics (LEHD)

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